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## ASST. MANAGER OF ASSOCIATION MEETS PRIZERS

Discusses Methods to be Used  
and Demands Honest  
Packing.

First Offering of Tobacco Next  
Week.

EXPECTED TO SELL FAST

Instructions were given the prizers of tobacco of the Dark Tobacco Growers' association this morning of Ballard, Marshall and McCracken counties by W. C. Frazier, assistant general manager of the association, and John D. Scales, auditor of the association. The prizers from the three counties met at the sales rooms of A. N. Veal, local salesman, 120 Broadway.

Mr. Frazier's talk was along the line of uniform and honest prizing of tobacco. "You prizers are the key-stone to the success of the association," was one of his ringing remarks, and throughout he argued for honesty and uprightness in the prizing. Mr. Frazier said the prizing of the association had been successful, but the officers are after still a higher grade, and firmly opposed to the prizing a low grade of tobacco with the good tobacco, and representing the tobacco of a higher grade.

His remarks were received enthusiastically by the prizers.

Mr. Scales, the auditor of the association, spoke to the prizers on the manner of keeping their books, and pointed out many improvements, for this year. The books for the 1907 crop were distributed to the prizers and are to be returned to the association at the end of the season.

Representatives of the following prizing firms were in attendance: Dike & Cook, Calvert City; Graham & Veal, Hall-Sanderson, City; Thomas Furtell, La Center; Linn Tucker, Barlow; Samuel Ware, Kevil; J. H. Mason, Sharp; Griffith & Black, Benton; W. S. Griffith, Benton; J. H. Custerman & company, Maxon Mills; Wood & Cole, Benton. Monday Messrs. Frazier and Scales will meet the prizers of Graves county at Mayfield, and will finish their work Wednesday and will be in Paducah Thursday en route back to Guthrie, the head quarters of the association.

The first sales of the association tobacco crop of 1907 will be held Monday by A. N. Veal, local salesman. Excellent sales are expected and the first week is expected to be a boomer. The grades have been received of the tobacco that has been passed on by the graders, who were in session at Guthrie this week.

## GRIP HAS FIRM HOLD ON PADUCAH PEOPLE

Paducah has the grip, or the grip has Paducah. It is just as one wishes to frame it up. A prominent physician said this morning that probably 50 per cent of the people in the city have the disease, and while its form is not dangerous, it lays its victim up for several days.

"Publish my statement," added this physician, "and the other 50 per cent of our people, or a great proportion of them will also have the affliction, for it is my experience that when one reads of an epidemic of any sort he immediately is seized by that especial disease, or thinks he is. Of course, it makes business for us doctors, and as we have had a dull period for some time, probably it is all right."

## LITTLE CHILD FALLS IN FIRE BADLY BURNED

Lone Oak, Jan. 25. (Special.)—While unwatched the six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, of near Massac, fell from a large rocking chair, where she had been placed by her mother a few minutes before and buried her face in the hot embers of a fire in the fireplace. The mother was summoned in a minute by the crying of the child, which was badly burned about the face. Dr. R. C. Gore was called and administered soothing anointments, but the baby's condition is critical yet. Today the child was resting well, and it is hoped the little one will recover.

## Municipal Budget for Year Shows Reduction of \$10,000 From 1907-- Water Rent is Reduced \$1,500.

### TROUBLES COME IN BUNCHES TO HUGH BOYLE

Soon after Hugh Boyle posted his "for sale" sign in front of his place on Fourth street yesterday, the sheriff came along and took from Boyle's hands the privilege of selling the outfit by attaching the stock and fixtures on an order secured by the American German National bank which holds his paper for \$3,000. The notes are endorsed by Thompson Wilson & Co., and a quantity of whisky in the store rooms of that company was also attached.

### ELIJAH GREEN APPOINTED ASST. ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25.—Elijah J. Green, of Covington, has been appointed assistant adjutant general by Governor Willson.

### PADUCAH LEAVES NEW ORLEANS FOR HAYTI TODAY

Washington, Jan. 25.—The United States gunboat Paducah left New Orleans today for Saint Marc, Hayti, to protect American interests and be within call in case the revolution spreads into Santo Domingo. The gunboat Eagle is now patrolling the coast from St. Marc to Gonâves. The Haytien government officials have taken refuge at the American consulate at Port au Prince.

### COUNTY SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS NEXT WEEK

An examination will be held at Lone Oak and Grahamville next Friday and Saturday by Supt. Billington and County Examiner M. V. Miller, for the benefit of the pupils who care to try for county school diplomas.

The superintendent expects about eight or ten pupils will take the present examinations and if successful they will be entitled to enter one of the state normal universities if appointments are secured.

Many of the schools will not close until after the examination is held and another has been arranged to be held in the month of May at which time about twenty-five are expected to apply.

### BECKHAM OR STATE PROHIBITION IS STRAIGHT TIP FROM FRANKFORT

### Thwarted in Effort to Win Senate Chair Will Combine For State Wide Prohibition.

Frankfort, Jan. 25. (Special.)—

Kentucky will have Beckham or state prohibition. This is the latest tip, and seemingly a straight one, too. Beckham has finally come to the conclusion that the jig is up, as far as the senatorship is concerned for him, and now he is busy seeking to avenge himself on the men responsible for the denial of his greatest ambition.

In the past few days efforts have been made by Democrat and Republicans to get the Democrats to drop Beckham and form a coalition with the Republicans to send Wheeler Campbell to the senate, and for a few brief moments Campbell indulged in the dream, but it was quickly dispelled when overtures were made to the Republicans. The reply was: "If we are to have any Democrat, let it be Beckham."

Beckham has made advances to the Republicans, too, but his efforts have not been successful. He proposes now to line his friends up for a state unit bill and has secured the pledges of enough Republicans to its support to insure its passage and also its passage over a probable veto of the governor.

### Park Apportionment Suffers Heavily-Scaled Three Thousand Dollars by Financial Committee.

Accounts	1907	1908
Salaries	\$ 17,400	\$ 18,000
Streets	33,000	20,000
Fire	28,500	28,000
Police	28,000	29,000
Electric Plant	10,000	9,000
Water	13,000	11,800
Real Estate	1,000	3,500
City Hall	750	750
Oak Grove	2,750	4,000
Pauper	3,800	4,500
Hospital	5,000	10,000
Sanitary	3,500	4,000
Parks	5,000	2,000
Gen'l Expense	5,000	6,000
Conf't Fund	6,500	6,000
Interest	3,000	1,000
Flt'ng Debt	24,558	25,000
Sinking Fund	8,000	8,000
Library	4,000	4,000
School Fund	33,000	33,000
Rev. Ac'ts	5,000	5,000
Judgments		4,400
Totals	\$263,258	\$254,950

The recommendation of the finance committee of the general council shows a saving of \$10,000 has been made in the apportionments for the different departments of the city for the year, the reduction being made in the anticipation that the amount of revenues collected this year will show but a slight decrease over last year's assessment while an indebtedness of \$40,000 handed to the present administration by its predecessor must be met and reduced.

Through an agreement effected with the management of the water company a reduction of \$10 per year on 150 fire plugs will be made, while the appropriation for streets gets a reduction of from \$33,000 to \$20,000, which is considered sufficient to keep the streets in good condition this year as the amount appropriated for that department last year was sufficient to enable the department to put the streets in good condition, though an appropriation of \$40,000 was asked for.

Acting upon the advice of the city solicitor the finance committee did not recommend that an extra assessment of 10 cents on the \$100 be levied for the schools and the appropriation of \$52,000 asked for was cut to \$33,000, the amount allowed last year.

The park appropriation also suffers a reduction of from \$5,000 to \$3,000 and the only funds that were increased to any great extent were the hospital and cemetery, which were given an additional sum for urgent improvements.

The administration expects to be able to take care of half of the \$40,000 indebtedness inherited from the old administration without an increase in the tax rate and to do this they must make out with a total amount of \$60,000 less than was expended in 1907.

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## ELKS DONATE CAR OF COAL FOR CHARITY

### Liberal Donation is Made by Fraternal Order at Most Opportune Time.

### Charity Club Has Distributed 3,000 Bushels This Winter.

### DEMAND EXCEEDS LAST SEASON

A donation of 1,000 bushels of coal has been made to the charity club for distribution among the poor of the city by the Paducah Lodge of Elks, Exalted Ruler J. T. Donovan notifying Secretary Jap Toner this morning that the coal was at the disposal of the club.

Mr. Toner stated this morning that the gift came at a most opportune time as the supply of fuel now on hand would be exhausted before next week is gone and the time for real winter is now at hand.

Since the first of September the club has given out nearly 3,000 bushels of coal. One earload of 1,100 bushels was presented to the club by the Illinois Central Railway company through the kindly offices of J. T. Donovan. The annual gift to the city which for years has been made by Bernheim Bros., of Louisville, this year amounted to 1,200 bushels, most of which has already been distributed. Aside from these two large gifts the Charity club has purchased nearly 700 bushels from local dealers, making the aggregate nearly 3,000 bushels, which is nearly as much as was given out during the entire winter season last year.

The Charity club also desires to acknowledge gifts of clothing from the following named ladies: Mrs. E. C. Adams, 1019 Harrison street; Mrs. Kenney, 423 Adams street; Mrs. Burnett, corner Twentieth and Broadway; Mrs. Frank Smith, 503 North Fourth street; Mrs. Reed, 803 South Fourth street; Mrs. S. Folz, North Fourth street.

A check has been received by the club from F. P. Toof, superintendent of the Cankhus Manufacturing company, for \$25 this week, and the sum will come in handy for the expenses.

### WARNING SENT TO OHIO COUNTY GROWERS

Rockport, Ky., Jan. 25. (Special.)

—Many warning letters have been sent various growers and buyers in Ohio county, warning them to get in the pool or suffer the consequences.

### GREEN RIVER GROWERS SELL 1905 HOLDINGS

Owensboro, Jan. 25.—Robert Massey, a buyer for the trust, has closed a deal with the Equity society for all the remainder of the pooled crop of 1905 in the Green River district except a few hundred thousand pounds.

### FORCE INCREASED AT LANGSTAFF-ORME MILLS

The Langstaff-Orme Manufacturing company yesterday put on more men at its plant on South Second street, indicating that business in building lines shows improvement. The Langstaff is one plant that did not shut down during the financial stringency. It reduced its hours some, and laid off a few hands, but it gradually worked back to normal conditions again.

### Farmer Gives Bond.

Frank Farmer, of Hickman, charged with bootlegging, was dismissed yesterday afternoon by United States Commissioner Armour Gardner. Farmer was arrested on a warrant charging bootlegging, and this was dismissed, but he was indicted at the last session of the grand jury on the same charge and was arrested by Marshal Elwood Neel again. Farmer gave bond for his appearance for trial.

### THE WEATHER.



Fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature. Highest temperature yesterday, 34; lowest today, 26.

## Association Prizer Whipped by Mob For Alleged Buying Tobacco For Trust on Side.

John Heath Severely Dealt With by Mob at Dawson Springs Last Night—Town is Quiet Today.

### SOUTHERN ELECTRIC FILES MORTGAGE TO SECURE BONDS

Dawson Springs, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Dawson Springs had its night rider visitation last night, and quite a fight in connection with it, too. John Heath, of Hopkinsville, has been putting up tobacco here for the association, but a few days ago a rumor was circulated that he was also buying tobacco, on the side, for the trust, and last night's visit was a result.

About fifty men came into town about 12:30 this morning, and went to the Arcadia, where Heath is boarding and asked for Mr. Holman, the proprietor, who, however, was over in Madisonville. They then called Mrs. Holman and asked for Heath, but she replied that he was not there. Not believing what she said, they went through the building calling for Heath and he answered. They then took him across the river and gave him thrashing, turned him loose and departed with a great deal of gun play and shouting. Heath is not much the worse for his experience.

When the visit of the night riders first became known the inhabitants of the town thought they had come to frighten the negroes from the town, as ten days ago most all of the negroes residing here received warnings to vacate, which most of them were not slow to heed. However, no one but Heath was molested. The mob did fire a good many shots into the Arcadia and also a great many in the streets, but aside from this did no damage, in fact announced that he had come for nothing but to thrash Heath.

There is a great deal of tobacco in storage here, but it is all association property.

The news of the visitation was received in Paducah early this morning and was brought by freight crews coming through the town early this morning. As all reports of such nature are, it was greatly exaggerated. Inquiries were first made of the clerk at the New Century hotel, but he evidently was intimidated by the visit, as he absolutely refused to give out any information.

News was received yesterday by Misses Ellis and Annie Larkin, 409 South Sixth street, of the death of their cousin, Mr. John B. Larkin, city controller of Pittsburg. Mr. Larkin's death was sudden and much grief was caused among the officers in Pittsburg, as he was one of the most popular officials. He was twice elected city controller and in a few months would have been certain for re-election. He was the only Democrat controller in Pittsburg. Under Cleveland's reign Mr. Larkin was postmaster of Pittsburg. He was a man much interested in charity and kept a home for orphans. He was a staunch member of the Catholic church.

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The market house is in good condition and a decrease in the amount of meat that Dr. Farley had to refuse the dealers the privilege of selling. The dealers have realized the strictness of the office, and little meat is placed for inspection knowingly.

### PADUCAH NORTHERN ELECTS OFFICERS AT MEETING TODAY

Officers of the Paducah Northern Railroad company will be elected at a meeting at 3:30 o'clock of the directors. This afternoon it was tipped officially that George C. Wallace will be elected president; Henry C. Overby, treasurer, and William F. Bradshaw, Jr., secretary and attorney.

### TOBACCO MARKET

Inspector's report for week ending January 24:

	Hhds.

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### DINNER TO PASTOR DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Methodist Men and Invited Guests Meet Dr. Sullivan.

Many Happy Toasts Given and Mayor Smith Responds to One Characteristically.

RAMSEY SOCIETY IS HOSTESS.

Delightful in all its appointments and details was the banquet last night in the parlors of the Broadway Methodist church, given in compliment to the pastor, the Rev. G. T. Sullivan. It was a stag affair, the men members of the church, the ministers of the city and Mayor James P. Smith being invited to meet Dr. Sullivan by the ladies of the Ramsey society, who were the hostesses of the evening, receiving in the lecture room downstairs, introducing Dr. Sullivan and the guests, and later serving the tables.

The tables were arranged upstairs in the League parlors, and were four in number extending lengthwise of the double rooms where ferns and cala lily plants were arranged. The tables were attractively decorated with carnations and ferns. Two tall vases of red and white carnations and two bowls of ferns were effectively arranged on each table. The flowers were presented by Messrs. Schmaus Bros. and C. L. Brunson & company, the florists. Dr. Sullivan occupied the place of the host at the head of the table with Mayor Smith on his right hand and Dr. W. E. Cave, of the First Presbyterian church, on his left. The dinner was an elaborate and delightful course affair, attractively served and lasting from 6:30 until 9 o'clock. Toasts were the concluding feature. Dr. Sullivan acted as toast master, making an opening speech. The first response was by Mayor Smith, who made a happy little speech, alive with humor. Clever speeches were made by the Rev. W. E. Cave, Rev. David C. Wright, Rev. William E. Bourquin, Rev. G. W. Banks, Rev. S. B. Moore of the ministers of the city. Dr. Vernon Blythe spoke for the laymen and Mr. John J. Berry for the press. Mr. Berry also presented a graceful resolution of thanks to the Ramsey society, "the skillful and willing hands that had served them," which Rev. William C. Leech moved should be adopted unanimously. The entire occasion sparkled with the spirit of good comradeship and good cheer. There were over 100 guests present.

The Christian church has engaged Elder H. H. Wagner, of Casey, Ill., to preach for them this year. Frank Watson has gone to Arkansas to look for work. City Clerk Ed Compton made a business trip to Paducah the middle of the week.

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Building Has Been Inspected and Received and Teachers to Be Placed Now.

Smoke was issuing from the chimneys of the "Whittier" and the Jackson street buildings this morning, and preparations for the pupils' next semester were in full blast. Fred Hoyer, superintendent of buildings, has the janitors at work cleaning the buildings of the rubbish left by the carpenters, and fire is kept in the furnaces to test them thoroughly, and to dry out the buildings perfectly.

All the sanitary work on the buildings has been inspected by the sanitary committee of the school board, and it has been accepted. About all that remains to be done is the placing of the teachers at the new buildings, and this will be completed soon by Superintendent Carnagey, and the committee on the course of study of the board.

ORDER REVOKED

EVICTING ITALIANS FROM ILLINOIS MINING DISTRICT.

Bush, Ill., Jan. 25.—Though a clash has not yet occurred between the several hundred Italian miners and the authorities, there remains great danger and the situation today is being closely watched.

The Western Coal Mining company revoked its order and will not attempt to evict Italians from company houses until the excitement has somewhat subsided.

American union miners have refused to displace the Italians, it is said.

The affair has taken on more of the aspects of a race war than before. Arms are being kept handy on both sides.

The Southern Illinois operators' meeting in Carbondale, Saturday, practically means a shut down of all mines south of Springfield. Notices calling the meeting were sent out today by J. D. Peters, of Herrin.

Use Sun Want Ads.—Best results.

NEXT WEEK WILL BE A GALA WEEK AT

**Wallerstein's**  
MENS AND BOYS OUTFITTERS  
3RD AND BROADWAY  
ESTABLISHED 1868

SPECIAL SALES EVERY DAY



From



9 to 10 a.m.

3 to 4 p.m.

FOR ONE HOUR ONLY

Monday morning at 9 o'clock starts a series of special sales which will continue every day during the coming week, from 9 to 10 o'clock in the morning, on the main floor of our building, and from 3 to 4 p.m. in "THE BOYS' SHOP" there will be placed on sale for ONE HOUR ONLY, some of the greatest values it has ever been your good fortune to take advantage of.

### Specials for Monday

#### Neckwear

For One Hour Only.

Choice of sixty-five dozen 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Ties, from 9 to 10 a.m., not more than two ties to each customer,

19 cents

No sales at this price after 10 a.m.

The Boys' Shop

#### Shirt Waists and Blouses

For One Hour Only

From 3 to 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, choice of our entire stock of 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Shirt Waists and Blouses, not more than two to each customer, for

33 cents

No sales at this price after 4 p.m.



#### The Green Tag Sale Will Continue in All Other Departments

Remember that you can have pick and choice of any Suit or Overcoat in the house—clothing that sold up to \$50.00, for

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George Dodd, the hustling Modern Woodmen representative, made a business trip to Centralia this week.

Miss Lydia Higeman made a pleasure trip to Paducah Tuesday.

Will Rody and wife came in the early part of the week from Hot Springs owing to the illness and death of Mr. Rody's grandmother, Mrs. Eberle. He will now make his home here, as his father is old and needs him here.

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There is a protracted meeting being held at the Baptist church by Rev. Oglesby, of Kentucky.

Sheriff Robert Lyton has returned from Pontiac, where he had been to take Ed Mann.

Willis Gurley, who is now in the saloon business in Paducah, is at home this week.

George Trall has been to Brookport this week loading lumber.

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tonight sees the last of the Challenge Sale, and we will wind it up with a glorious burst of bargains. Here are four great ones for tonight:

—full yard wide extra soft finished bleached domestic, 10c value tonight 6 7-8c

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72x90 full bleached sheets, extra good quality, worth 65c, Challenge Sale special 44c

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Methodist Men and Invited Guests Meet Dr. Sullivan.

Many Happy Toasts Given and Mayor Smith Responds to One Characteristically.

RAMSEY SOCIETY IS HOSTESS.

Delightful in all its appointments and details was the banquet last night in the parlors of the Broadway Methodist church, given in compliment to the pastor, the Rev. G. T. Sullivan. It was a stag affair, the men members of the church, the ministers of the city and Mayor James P. Smith being invited to meet Dr. Sullivan by the ladies of the Ramsey society, who were the hostesses of the evening, receiving in the lecture room downstairs, introducing Dr. Sullivan and the guests, and later serving the tables.

The tables were arranged upstairs in the League parlors, and were four in number extending lengthwise of the double rooms where ferns and cala lily plants were arranged. The tables were attractively decorated with carnations and ferns. Two tall vases of red and white carnations and two bowls of ferns were effectively arranged on each table. The flowers were presented by Messrs. Schmaus Bros. and C. L. Brunson & company, the florists. Dr. Sullivan occupied the place of the host at the head of the table with Mayor Smith on his right hand and Dr. W. E. Cave, of the First Presbyterian church, on his left. The dinner was an elaborate and delightful course affair, attractively served and lasting from 6:30 until 9 o'clock. Toasts were the concluding feature. Dr. Sullivan acted as toast master, making an opening speech. The first response was by Mayor Smith, who made a happy little speech, alive with humor. Clever speeches were made by the Rev. W. E. Cave, Rev. David C. Wright, Rev. William E. Bourquin, Rev. G. W. Banks, Rev. S. B. Moore, of the ministers of the city. Dr. Vernon Blythe spoke for the laymen and Mr. John J. Berry for the press. Mr. Berry also presented a graceful resolution of thanks to the Ramsey society, "the skillful and willing hands that had served them," which Mr. William C. Leech moved should be adopted unanimously. The entire occasion sparkled with the spirit of good comradeship and good cheer. There were over 100 guests present.

#### THE WHITTER

TODAY BEING PREPARED FOR NEXT SEMESTER.

Building Has Been Inspected and Received and Teachers to Be Placed Now.

Smoke was issuing from the chimneys of the "Whittier" and the Jackson street buildings this morning, and preparations for the pupils' next semester were in full blast. Fred Hoyer, superintendent of buildings, has the janitors at work cleaning the buildings of the rubbish left by the carpenters, and fire is kept in the furnaces to test them thoroughly, and to dry out the buildings perfectly.

All the sanitary work on the buildings has been inspected by the sanitary committee of the school board, and it has been accepted. About all that remains to be done is the placing of the teachers at the new buildings, and this will be completed soon by Superintendent Carnagey, and the committee on the course of study of the board.

#### ORDER REVOKED

EVICTING ITALIANS FROM ILLINOIS MINING DISTRICT.

Bush, Ill., Jan. 25.—Though a clash has not yet occurred between the several hundred Italian miners and the authorities, there remains great danger and the situation today is being closely watched.

The Western Coal Mining company revoked its order and will not attempt to evict Italians from company houses until the excitement has somewhat subsided.

American union miners have refused to displace the Italians, it is said.

The affair has taken on more of the aspects of a race war than before. Arms are being kept handy on both sides.

The Southern Illinois operators' meeting in Carbondale, Saturday, practically means a shut down of all mines south of Springfield. Notices calling the meeting were sent out today by J. D. Peters, of Herrin.

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## The Week In Society.

### TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Ever and ever the days go by,  
We laugh and we weep them through;

Todays are made for our work and dreams;

Tomorrow our dreams come true!

We hold them light and we let them go,

We toss them into the past!

"Tomorrow—tomorrow!" we cry, nor

That today slips by so fast.

For what is today but a leaden thing

That terrors when we would fly,

Holding us back from the hidden ways;

What wonderful sweet things lie?

And even though today be glad of heart,

And brings us a song to sing,

Never a day since the world began

Knows what tomorrow may bring!

All of our hopes and all of our dreams.

And all of the sweet, slight things that today would crush, we shall find them all

When tomorrow has spread her wings!

Never and ever—O dull today!

When will you claim your due?

When our hopes and dreams and our heart's desire \*

Lie dead in the past, with you?

—Isabel Eccleston Mackay in Ainslee's.

### Announcements.

The German club will give a dance on Monday evening at the Hotel Craig.

The Delphic club will meet on Tuesday morning at the Carnegie library. The program to be presented is:

1. Persia—Mrs. D. A. Yeiser.
2. Campbyses' the Cruel in Egypt—Mrs. Elizabeth Austin.
3. Zoroaster—Mrs. Frank Barnard.
4. Zenobia Avesta, "The Egyptian Princess"—Mrs. Muscoe Burnett.

Miss Marie Roth is hostess to the Club Delphic on Tuesday evening at her home on Harahan boulevard.

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The Kaloskopie club at its meeting on Friday morning at the Woman's club house will discuss the following program:

1. Rome under Augustus—Miss Clara Parke.
2. Theatrica Appia. The Palace of the Caesars. The Forum—Miss Relia Coleman.
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4. Current Events—Miss Marjorie Scott.

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5. Vocal solo (Selected)—Mrs. Phil Stewart.

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The company will close in two weeks and Mrs. Young will come to Paducah to spend the remainder of the winter with her mother, Mrs. S. H. Clark, 901 Clay street.

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### Weddings.

The marriage of Miss Mary Agnes Sullivan and Mr. Henry Martin Oliver will be solemnized on Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Broadway Methodist parsonage on North Seventh street, the home of the bride. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. G. T. Sullivan, D. D., the father of the bride. It will be a quiet home wedding, to which no formal invitations have been issued.

The bride is the eldest daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Sullivan. Mr. Oliver is a prominent young druggist of Paris, Tenn., but will be associated with Dr. S. H. Winfield in his drug store after February 1st. They will reside in Paducah at 109 North Seventh street.

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Mr. Clarence Dallam, formerly of Paducah, and Miss Mary Verter Griner, of Louisville, were married on Wednesday evening in the apartments of the bride's mother, Mrs. Henry O. Griner, at the Seabach in Louisville. Mr. Dallam is prominently related to Paducah and very popular here. Mr. and Mrs. Dallam will keep house on Fourth avenue in Louisville.

### Parewell Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Mr. Loren Jones, of Jefferson street, pleasantly surprised him on Wednesday night at his home. Mr. Jones leaves in a short time for Texas to reside and the party was a farewell compliment. Games were played during the evening and delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Bessie Smith, Jessie Buchanan, Effie Thurman, Bernice McAlister, Lula Trainer, Maud Allgood, Hazel Rein, Ida Trainer, Ina Perry, Fannie Thurman, Mrs. William Buchanan, Mrs. Claude Parish, and Messrs. John Cobb Bloomfield, Forrest Hutchison, Jesse Thurman, Loren Jones, Clarence Stewart, Harry Stewart, William Bonnin, George Bloomfield, Vobie Jones and Neal Jones.

### Delightful Concert By Notable Talent.

The musical event on Wednesday evening at the High school auditorium under the auspices of the Alumni association. It was given for the benefit of the manual training fund, which is the especial work of the Alumni association. The program was a delightful one and included the names of: Mrs. James Weille, Mrs. Lelia Wade Lewis, Mrs. William C. Gray, Mrs. George B. Hart, Miss Aline Bagby, Miss Mamie Dryfuss, Miss Adah Brazelton, Miss Courtney Puryear, Mr. Robert D. MacMillen, Mr. John U. Robinson, Mr. Marvin Mall, Mr. Emmett Bagby. Mr. Saunders Fowler presided.

### Magazine Club.

The Delphic club enjoyed a pleasantly varied program in the discussion of Egyptian history on Tuesday morning at the Carnegie library. "The Great Temple of Karnak" was entertainedly described by Mrs. James A. Rudy. "Abu Simbel" was graphically featured by Mrs. Frank L. Scott. Mrs. George C. Wallace told most interestingly of "Meneptah, Moses and the Exodus." Miss Whitefield gave a forcible account of the "Struggles in Asia and Decline of Grandeur."

### Dance at Hotel Craig for Guests.

A dance was given on Wednesday evening at the Hotel Craig by the guests of the hotel to their friends. It was an enjoyable affair and the second of the series for this winter. The marriage of Mr. Albert Nicholas Arts, of Paducah, and Miss Margaret Niehoff, of Adrian, took place on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the St. John's church. The Rev. Father Reinhart performed the ceremony. The attendants were Messrs. Henry Arts, of this city, and Mr. Frank Niehoff, of Adrian. The bride wore a costume of white Liberty satin and lace and the bridal veil. She carried Bride roses. A reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Niehoff, followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Arts are keeping house in their new home at Twenty-ninth and Clark streets.

### Annual Union Ball.

The second annual ball of the Tinner and Pipefitter's union was a largely attended affair of the week. It took place on Tuesday night at the Red Men's hall, on North Fourth street.

### Kaloskopie Club.

The Kaloskopie club held an interesting meeting on Friday morning at the Woman's club house. "Julius Caesar as Statesmen, General and

Miss Lillie Rebecca Kettler and Mr. Stephen P. Pool were married on Thursday morning at the home of the

The best values of the season in pleasing variety at 69c to 99c a yard.

### Spirited Silk Selling.

Unusual values will be on display the coming week at 50c to \$1.00 a yard.

### Hand Bags and Belts.

Clearing sale prices on Hand Bags, Belts and innumerable things in the notion department will be sold at one-quarter to one-half off the coming week.

### Winter Underwear and Hosiery.

The sweeping price cuts of the past week will continue next week.

### The Clothing Department.

This department has been enlarged to suit our increasing sales. A visit One assortment at 24c a yard. Three assortments at 49c a yard.

Big assortment of wanted Serges in all colors at 50c a yard.

of inspection a comparison of styles, quality and prices will be a pleasing revelation to those who have not thought of this stores clothing department and the magnitude of its big stocks. It's the store where clothing is sold at dry goods prices. It's the store where you can buy things for men at real money-saving prices.

### Our Shoe Balconies.

Teeming with shoes from dozens of the best manufacturers. If you want to save 50c to \$1.00 a pair on shoes ask to see the brooks assortments we are clearing out at 50c to \$1.00 a pair less than we formerly sold them. Not all sizes of every kind, but every size in the assortment.

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Personally appeared before me this January 3d, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1907, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR.

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

## Daily Thought.

Too many find their conscience in the conventions of others.

## GOVERNOR HUGHES ON HIS CANDIDACY.

It is the opinion of many good observers that, in all probability, Governor Hughes has lost the opportunity that the situation undoubtedly presented to him some months ago, that of becoming a formidable rival of Secretary Taft as a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, says the Chicago Record Herald. Certainly the Taft movement has steadily been gaining strength and momentum, and it is expected that much good will come from the movement. The plans for the state organization were suggested by John Marshall, of Louisville, in a speech before the conference last night.

The conference has elected the following officers:

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Governor Hughes so far satisfies the demands for light as to declare that he is ready to abide by the decision of his party in the state. He insists, however, on honest, free and full expression of party sentiment, and on "harmony of effort." He will be a candidate if the party, or a controlling majority of it, shall determine to urge his nomination.

But he also serves notice that he will not attempt to influence in the future, any more than he has attempted to do so in the past, the selection or vote of any delegate. He will not make his office "tributary to any candidacy," for it must remain "impartial."

This is consistent and has the Hughes ring. It is impossible to take any exception to the statement as a whole or to any part of it. It accords with the expectations of Mr. Hughes' sincere admirers.

We may repeat what we have said before on the significance of the Hughes candidacy—that, while certain reactionaries are unduly interested in it, it is not a candidacy that progressive elements will resent or fear. Between the position of Roosevelt, or of Taft, and that of Hughes on the great questions of the day there is no vital difference. It is not to be doubted that Hughes would make an honest, independent, able, enlightened president, and that the reactionaries would be sadly disillusionized in the event of his nomination and election. But circumstances have made Taft the leading and popular Republican candidate, and the cause of constructive, rational reform will be safe with him.

In times of peace nations prepare for war; in period of dullness, shrewd merchants make their plans for the busy seasons. Prompted by that judgment that is the inspiration of these things, Paducah's far-sighted business men have perfected an organization that promises the city the long-cherished

hopes—more railroads. The Paducah and Northern Railroad company comes at the opportune time, indeed, if the judgment of students of such things is worth aught. It informed circles it has been known that it was merely due to traffic agreements that such road as the Frisco, the Big Four and other lines have deferred their entrance into Paducah, but the term of the agreement has matured and now these roads can turn their attention toward extensions into the city, when financial and business conditions warrant it.

Knowing this, the Paducah and Northern Railroad company is organized with the chief object of getting proper terminals and entrance into the city; to build a trunk line to Metropolis, and probably erect a bridge at a point to be determined upon later. This is a proposition to which every man, and every organization in the city can and should contribute, both of time and means, as it means more to the city than anything that has been suggested in recent years.

Mayor Smith is developing into quite an orator, and seemingly likes it. He was one of the principal speakers at the dinner given the men and pastor of the Broadway Methodist church last night and occupied the seat of honor, at the toastmaster's right. His friends who heard his plea for the denial of the Boyle license the other night contend the city won't need to employ additional legal talent during his administration to take care of the city's interest, as the mayor will soon be able to take the measure of the most gifted orator in the legal profession.

Senator Wheeler Campbell has the United States senatorship bee in his bonnet, from advices that come from Frankfort. That's all right. He measures up to the office, and Paducah would appreciate the honor as much as he.

## STATE CAMPAIGN

## AGAINST GREAT WHITE PLAGUE TO BE WAGED.

Plans Decided Upon at Meeting of Conference of Charities and Corrections.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25.—As a result of the decision reached at the state conference of charities and corrections yesterday, a campaign will begin at once to organize a state fight against tuberculosis, and the Kentucky Anti-tuberculosis society may be formed in a short time. The fight will be waged in every county, and it is expected that much good will come from the movement. The plans for the state organization were suggested by John Marshall, of Louisville, in a speech before the conference last night.

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## CLUB WOMEN SEND PETITION TO FRANKFORT

A petition was mailed this morning to Representative Eugene Graves and State Senator Wheeler Campbell requesting them to vote for the passage of the bill now before the legislature, for \$50,000 to be given to the emigration to Hawaiian Islands, \$20,000 annually set aside for keeping up the place. The petition has the signatures of the presidents of all the Federation clubs in Paducah. These were secured this morning by Mrs. A. R. Meyers, a member of the State Civic committee, and Miss Adine Morton, chairman of the local committee.

The Civic committee of the Federated Women's clubs of Kentucky is working hard for the passage of the bill, and hopes to reach all the representatives through the Civic department of the various cities. Mrs. Meyers as a member of the State Federation committee, is at the head of the work in Paducah.

## Ticket Holders to Report On Monday.

All members of the Woman's club who have taken out tickets to sell for the Skogvold concert on Tuesday evening, are requested to report on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Woman's club house, to Mrs. Robert Becker Phillips, chairman.

## PLANS ARE ALL LAID

By Government Attorneys Regarding Course in Harriman Case.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The course to be pursued by the department of justice in the Harriman case today between Attorney General Bonaparte and Frank B. Kellogg and Charles A. Severance, of the counsel for the government. The entire matter was fully discussed and legal proceedings to be adopted decided upon. No particular details were made public.

Meanwhile Cherry Malotte watched the hunted look in Glenister's face grow wilder and then stiffen into the stubbornness of a man at bay. The pose was at the door now, mocking. The three inside stood rigid and strained. Then Glenister tossed his burden on the bed.

"Go into the back room, Cherry; there's going to be trouble."

"Who's there?" inquired Dextry through the door, to gain time. Suddenly, without a word, the girl glided to the hot blast heater, now cold and empty, which stood in a corner of the room. These stoves, used widely in the north, are vertical iron cylinders into which coal is poured from above. She lifted the lid and peered in to find it a quarter full of dead ashes, then turned with shining eyes and parted lips to Glenister. He caught the hint, and in an instant the four sacks were dropped softly into the featherbed, and the ashes raked over. The daring maneuver was almost as quick as the flash of woman's wit that prompted it and was carried through while the answer to Dextry's question was still unspoken.

Then Glenister opened the door carefully and admitted the group of men.

"We've got a search warrant to look through your house," said Voorhees.

"What are you looking for?"

"Gold dust from Anvil creek."

"All right—search away."

They rapidly scoured the premises, covering every inch, paying no heed to the girl, who watched them with indifferent eyes, not to the old man, who glared at their every movement. Glenister was carelessly sarcastic, although he kept his right arm free, while beneath his sash was a thoroughly trained alertness.

McNamara directed the search with a manner wholly lacking in his former mock courtesy. It was as though he had been soured by the gall of defeat. The mask had fallen off now, and his character showed—insistent, overbearing, cruel. Toward the partners he preserved a contemptuous silence.

The invaders ransacked thoroughly, while a dozen times the hearts of Cherry Malotte and her two companions stopped, then lunged onward, as McNamara or Voorhees approached, then passed the stove. At last Voorhees lifted the lid and peered into its dark interior. At the same instant the girl cried out sharply, flinging herself from her position while the marshal jerked his head back in time to see her dash upon Dextry.

"Don't! Don't!" She cried her appeal to the old man. "Keep cool. You'll be sorry, Dex—they're almost through."

The officer had not seen any movement on Dextry's part, but doubtless her quick eye had detected signs of violence. McNamara emerged, glowering from the back room at that moment.

"Let them hunt," the girl was saying, while Dextry stared dazedly over her head. "They won't find anything. Keep cool and don't act rash."

Voorhees' duties sat uncomfortably upon him at the best, and looking at the smoldering eyes of the two men, he became averse to further search in a powdery household whose members loathed to shoot him in the back.

"It isn't here," he reported, but the politican only scowled, then spoke for the first time directly to the partners:

"I've got warrants for both of you, and I'm tempted to take you in, but I won't. I'm not through yet—not by any means. I'll get you—get you both." He turned out of the door, followed by the marshal, who called off his guards, and the group filed back along the walk.

"Say, you're a jewel, Cherry. You've saved us twice. You caught Voorhees just in time. My heart hit my palate when he looked into that stove, but the next instant wanted to laugh at Dextry's expression."

He spun the cylinder of his blackened Colt, while his face grew hard and vulture-like.



The four sacks were dropped softly into the featherbed bottom.

## MONEY CONDITIONS ARE MUCH EASIER

As Shown by Bank Clearings

For the Week.

Dun's Review Indicates Trade Is Improving Gradually in All Lines.

NEW YORK PAYS THE CASH.

New York, Jan. 25.—Dun's Review says:

Bank clearings reflect the easing in money conditions heretofore noted, and while the volume of settlements through the banks is still less than at the corresponding date in both preceding years, the loss is not so heavy as in preceding months, while there is an increase at most points.

Total bank exchanges this week at all leading cities in the United States are \$2,478,424,745, a decrease of 20.6 per cent, compared with a year ago, and 23.0 per cent, compared with the corresponding week of 1906. The loss is chiefly at New York City, though Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and San Francisco contribute a considerable amount to it. There is a trifling loss at Chicago, compared with a year ago, but compared with the corresponding week of 1906, when trade was very active, Chicago reports a considerable increase, likewise Minneapolis, Kansas City, and Cleveland.

Dispatches from Dun's Review indicate that trade increases gradually, but progress is still slow. The financial improvement is still the best feature of the situation.

When business closed yesterday all but \$11,200,000 of the \$97,000,000 in clearing house certificates issued by the Clearing House association during the recent financial flurry had been retired. Since Monday \$7,800,000 of the certificates have been taken up—nearly \$2,000,000 a day.

It is believed that practically the whole of the amount outstanding will be wiped out by the end of the week, and that early next week the clearing house will again be on a strictly cash basis. The fact that money is now flowing into the banks in large quantities is emphasized by the fact that the retirement of the certificates was simultaneous with the return of \$10,000,000 of the emergency deposit made by the government during the height of the flurry.

The highest rate for call money yesterday was 2½ per cent, most of the loans being made at 2 per cent and some at 1½.

Boston, Jan. 25.—The last of the clearing house certificates issued by the Boston banks during the financial stringency last fall were canceled today.

## SMITHLAND.

Smithland, Ky., Jan. 25.—Mr. Nelson left last Monday for New Mexico, where he contemplates moving his family if the place suits him for a home.

News reached here yesterday that Mr. A. B. Counell, who has been living in Missouri, but formerly of this place, is dead. He is the father of Mr. Dave Counell.

Dr. L. F. Moore, of Salem, will leave in a few days for a trip through the west looking out for a location for the practice of his profession. He will visit Oklahoma with a view of locating there.

Mrs. Sarah Harvey, who last week was not expected to live but a very short time, is reported somewhat better. Still, however, she is in a very critical condition, all the left side being paralyzed.

Tuesday after a lingering illness for many months, Mr. Lucy Love succumbed to the dreaded disease, consumption. He was just a young man only about 19 years of age, the son of Mr. Tom Love, who lives near Carrsville.

Last Saturday at his home near Dyersburg, in this county, Mr. Bert Martin, who for several weeks had been suffering of malarial fever, died. Mr. Martin had been in a serious condition for some time, but his death was a shock to his many friends, who were hoping the worst was over. He was buried in the Grove's Chapel cemetery.

The forward pass will be the principal subject of discussion, as there has been a demand in some quarters to limit its use. The old committee of seven, representing Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Chicago, Pennsylvania and Annapolis, will amalgamate as usual with the committee of seven named by the Intercollegiate Athletic association of the United States. The only change in the personnel of the full committee this year will be Lieutenant H. B. Hackett for Lieutenant Charles D. Daley, representing West Point, and Joshua Crane for W. T. Reid, Jr., representing Harvard.

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The Charles Turner will be raised in a day or two, though it depends as

Makes the most nutritious food and the most dainty and delicious.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

## THE LOCAL NEWS

—Fresh oysters at Biederman's.  
—For Dr. Pendley sing 416.  
—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400½ Broadway. Phone 196.  
—Just tapped another barrel of N. O. molasses at Biederman's.  
—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up the Sun office. Both phones 358. E. J. Paxton.

—Pure strained honey at Biederman's.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to the Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25 cents, at Biederman's.

—When you want coal quick phone Brown & Joynes Coal Co. Phone 479. Small orders promptly attended to.

—Carriage work of all kinds. Painting, repairing, rubber tires, etc. Spring wagons made to order. We are offering special inducements for early orders. Sexton Sign Works. Phone 401.

—Old-fashioned sugar house molasses at Biederman's.

—Dr. Warner, veterinarian. Treatment of domestic animals. Both phones 131.

—Use Standard Soot Destroyer, Ask your grocer for it.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—Chinese sacred lilies in bloom in 5-inch pots for 15c each. Extra choice violets. Brunson, 529 Broadway.

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—Fresh oysters at Biederman's.

—Just tapped another barrel of N. O. molasses, and it is fine, at Biederman's.

—For numbering machines, band dusters, rubber type and stencils of all kinds, call on The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 358.

—We can give you the finest carriages in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.

—Beverly, of Grästark, has been added to our 50c line of popular copy-right novels. R. D. Clements & Co., 408 Broadway.

—Bring your vessels and get pure strained honey at 16 cents per pound at Biederman's.

—Carriage work of all kinds. Painting, repairing, rubber tires, etc. Spring wagons made to order. We are offering special inducements for early orders. Sexton Sign Works. Phone 401.

—The Ladies' Home Mission society of the Broadway Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

—For the alleged exploding of powder in the Baptist church in Mechanicsburg last Wednesday night, O. Minton, deputy constable to A. C. Shelton, arrested Ed Ross and Louis Franklin on a charge of disorderly conduct. They will be given a trial before Magistrate John J. Bleich Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Jo McLeskey, pastor, having been called to Wingo for special services, his pulpit will be filled by the Rev. J. M. Hughes, of Mayfield.

## RUBBER GOODS.

WE have at last found what we have been looking years to find; a complete line of Rubber Goods that the manufacturers have confidence enough in to absolutely guarantee for 2 years the consumer. We honestly believe every one of them will last 5 years.

The line is much out of the ordinary that we can not begin to describe the difference between "THE EVER-RITE LINE" and the other kinds, but wish you might drop in at our store and see for yourself. The prices are right too, in fact

cheaper than the other kind, considering the quality.

See our window display this week and then come in and let us explain the WHY of it. Remember we are the exclusive agents in this town for "THE EVER-RITE LINE." Manufactured by THE IDEAL RUBBER CO., of Chicago.

R. W. Walker Co.  
Druggists  
Fifth and Broadway, Opp. Palmer House.  
Night Bell at Side Door.

## CHALLENGE SALE CLOSES TONIGHT

Extra Specials Advertised for Tonight Only.

Challenge Sale Has Proved Most Successful in History of Popular Store.

## REDUCTIONS IN ALL LINES

At last the great Challenge Sale at Guthrie's is drawing to a close. Today is the last day and some startling special prices are advertised in another portion of this paper for tonight only; so this tremendously successful sale is ensured a wind-up which will draw the trade with irresistible power.

Guthrie's Challenge Sale seems to have "caught on" with a whirl and it has swept on with a rush of underpriced values which has kept enthusiasm at fever heat during the entire ten days. No reservations were made in any department. No garment or piece of goods was too fine or too seasonable to escape the pangs of the price-cutting knife. Everything in the store was swept into the stream of values, which has flowed with irresistible power for ten days. Mr. Guthrie takes a great deal of pleasure from the splendid endorsement which his store's methods received and announces that this was one of the best sales he has ever had the good fortune to put on. It is planned to give Paducah shoppers another and even greater Challenge Sale next year and it is a certainty that many will look forward to it eagerly.

## \$6,000 FIRE

## ON SECOND STREET EARLY THIS MORNING.

One of the smokiest fires the firemen have had to contend with this year was this morning about 1:20 o'clock when the clothing store of Ike Altham, 130 South Second street, was discovered to be on fire. After the discovery of the fire Altman was frantic and had to be restrained from throwing his children from the second story to the pavement. Firemen from the Central station answered the alarm, and placing a ladder at a window carried Altman and his wife and children from danger.

The fire had started from the stove in the rear of the building, and had been smouldering for some time. Practically all the woolen goods was burning, and the smoke was so dense the firemen could breathe only with difficulty, but the firemen waded in and with the hose had the flames extinguished in an hour.

Altman was awakened by his seven-year-old boy who was calling to him. Smoke was in the living apartments, and the air was stifling.

Practically all of the stock is damaged by fire or water, and little of it can be used. Altman says he carried a \$6,000 stock, and carried insurance on about three-fourths of its value. Care had been taken with the stove, but it is presumed that the fire started from a coal falling out onto the floor.

## SERIOUS CHARGE

May Grow One of Petty Offense Committed by Frank Nance.

By picking up a coat that did not belong to him and wearing it a few days, Frank Nance, a shantyboater, whose craft is tied at the mouth of Clark's river, is in jail on two serious charges to which a felony charge may be added when the trial of the case is finished. Nance carried a big pistol when arrested by Constable Sears, and when sworn to answer questions by Judge Lightfoot, Nance told conflicting stories that may result in a warrant for perjury being issued against him.

Mr. Sam McWherter, the owner of the coat, testified that Nance told him when he caught him wearing the coat that he bought it from a negro, and when sworn Nance denied telling McWherter any such thing, and testified that he picked up the coat after he had passed it three days in succession.

Mr. McWherter will bring witness Monday to prove that Nance did say that he bought the coat.

Judge Lightfoot gave Nance a chance to correct the statement that he made before the court that he did not say he bought the coat, but he refused to avail himself of the opportunity.

Mr. Henry Burnett, of Louisville, will arrive this evening to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Burnett, who has been ill for several days at the home of her son, Mr. Muscoe Burnett, 2005 Broadway.

Bishop Charles E. Woodcock will arrive this evening from Louisville and will be the guest of the Rev. David C. Wright, at the rectory on Kentucky avenue.

Miss Dora Draffen, of Florence Station, is visiting in the city today.

Mr. Frank Scott and H. T. Hardin of this city, left today for Galveston, Tex., where both have accepted positions.

## Rink Prizes.

The girl's prize for the best costume at the skating rink last night was given to Little Miss Elizabeth Quick, who was dressed in a butterfly costume. The boy's prize went to Master Lon Lyle, who wore a full evening suit. Mayor Smith, ex-Mayor Yelser and Judge William Reed acted as the judges for the event.

Heavy Fire Loss at Madison, Ill.

Madison, Ill., Jan. 25.—Two of the largest buildings in town burned early today. The loss will reach \$100,000. One woman was fatally injured by jumping from a burning building.

## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Enjoyable Surprise Party. Mrs. Elizabeth Walker was the honoree of a delightful surprise party Friday evening at her home on Broad street. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and music. Delightful refreshments were served. The house was beautifully decorated in color scheme of pink and green. The following were among those present: Madam Augusta Rogers, J. L. Jones, C. C. Petty, John Block, Leonard Block, James McCarthy, Charles Smith; Misses Rebekah Coleman, Effie Jones, Eulah Jones, Inez Bell, Mamie Block, Clara Petter, Alma Bequette, Gertrude Bequette, Hannah Petter, Lena Walker; Messrs. Willie Walker, Clyde Bell, Eugene Bell, Lloyd Walker.

## Candy Pulling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald, 154 Farley street, entertained Tuesday evening with a candy pulling in honor of their daughter, Miss Ruby McDonald. It was an enjoyable affair. The following guests were present: Misses Minnie Wilson, Lillian and Mae Bougenia, Eunice Quarles, and Messrs. Erie Ingram, Virgil Cooper and Lawrence Jones.

## Alumni Appreciates Generous Aid.

The Alumni association desires to return sincere thanks to all who so willingly and splendidly aided them both on the program and otherwise in the concert given on Wednesday evening for the benefit of the manual training fund.

Mrs. J. A. Crouch, 1110 South Fourth street, left Wednesday for Corsicana, Tex., to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Burks.

Miss Lulu Beadles, who has accepted a position at the "Whittier" school, has returned to her home in Mayfield a short time before assuming her duties.

Mr. W. B. Kennedy went to Paris, Tenn., this morning on a short hunting trip.

Miss Flora Duke, of Mayfield, was in the city today en route to Dawson Springs.

Mrs. Lee Cox returned to her home in Calvert City this morning after visiting her father, Mr. T. B. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stice went to Calvert City this morning to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charles Stanley and children arrived this morning from Wichita, Kan., on a visit to her father, Col. Victor Van de Mal, Mr. Stanley will arrive in a few days, and then Mr. and Mrs. Stanley will leave for Providence, R. I., where they will make their future home.

Miss Mai Houston, who has been attending school in this city, returned to her home in Gilbertsville this morning.

Patrolman Lige Cross has gone to Morganfield on a short business trip.

Miss Emma Schaaf arrived this morning from Cairo on a visit to Mrs. Brouse.

Mr. Earl Bailey returned this morning from Fulton, where he has been visiting friends.

Mr. L. V. Armentrout, managing editor of The Sun, who has been ill of the grip for several days, is convalescent. Mrs. Armentrout is also suffering of the same affliction.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chamblin, 1439 South Tenth street, returned home last night from an extended visit to relatives in Moberly, Mo. They were accompanied by Little Miss Mary Jeannette Sanderson, of Moberly, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chamblin, who will visit them.

Mr. Will Beadles, of Memphis, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lillian Houser, 618 Tennessee street, returned home yesterday.

Master Owen and Little Dorothy Kerth, of South Fifth street, are very ill at their home.

Mr. Walter Iverson fell at the rink a few nights ago and broke his arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hillsman Taylor left for their home in Trenton, Tenn., after a brief visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mills, 2009 Jefferson boulevard. They were en route from a small town on a visit to Mrs. Mills.

Junior Sammamore, Clarke Fortson, keeper of records, T. E. Grasty, collector of Wampum, A. J. Smith, First Sammamore, Clarence Householder.

Second Sammamore, James Davis, guard of Wigwam, Walter Englund.

Guard of Forest, E. G. Thomas.

First Brave, James Sirk.

Second Brave, W. F. McDowell.

Third Brave, Leslie Jones.

Fourth Brave, Edward D. Hannan.

First Warrior, George Hannon.

Second Warrior, Y. H. Griffith.

Third Warrior, Adolph Mayer.

Fourth Warrior, Ernest Lackey.

Clubroom Committee, Al M. Foreman, John Lehnhard and David Cross.

The order voted to have an open meeting Washington's birthday night to which the public generally is invited.

## Oratorical Contest.

The representative of the High school at the inter-High school debate of Western Kentucky will be decided by an oratorical contest to be held in about two weeks. The plan of Prof. W. H. Sugg was ratified by the debating society yesterday afternoon, and the following students have announced their candidacy: J. Will Rock, Edwin Mitchell, Frank Luftenburg and Edwin Randle. Others are expected to enter the contest.

Other High schools want the date for the contest set for March 6, but the local High school thinks this date too early and will enter protest against it, and try to make the arrangements for the middle of April as announced first. At the primary oratorical contest it is probably that a small admission fee will be charged and the proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the representative on his trip to Hopkinsville. An excellent program will be arranged and musical features will be added to the program.

## EVELYN THAW DENOUNCES CRITICS AS "CATS."

New York, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Harry Thaw when she arrived at the Tombs yesterday issued an interview characterizing as "cats" certain well known women writers who have been chronicling her movements during the present trial said. "Those women have written about me as a woman without a soul, but I wonder how many of them would measure up to the standard of excellence in women had they suffered the trials I have. Their declaration that I married Harry for money is a cruel, base lie. I could have married a man worth much more than Harry. It's been Harry's money that has caused all our troubles and has always been a barrier between us. These women have neither soul or conscience in writing about me. All that Harry and I want is for him to be acquitted."

Midway, Ill., Jan. 25.—Two of the largest buildings in town burned early today. The loss will reach \$100,000. One woman was fatally injured by jumping from a burning building.

## EXAMINATIONS

SUPERINTENDENT ANNOUNCES PROGRAM FOR WEEK.

TRYING PERIOD FOR PUPILS BEGINS ON MONDAY AND LASTS THREE DAYS.

EXAMINATION WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY MONDAY MORNING AT ALL OF THE SCHOOLS AND THE SCHOOL WORK FOR THE FIRST SEMESTER WILL BE COMPLETED FRIDAY. FEBRUARY 3 THE STUDENTS WILL BEGIN THEIR WORK ON THE SECOND SEMESTER. THIS SEMESTER'S WORK HAS BEEN OF A HIGH STANDARD, AND SHOWS THAT THE SCHOOLS ARE IN FINE CONDITION. LITTLE CONFUSION IS EXPECTED FROM THE TRANSFERRING OF PUPILS TO THE NEW BUILDINGS. ALMOST EVERY PUPIL HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO WHICH BUILDING HE MUST GO NEXT TERM.

THE SCHEDULE FOR EXAMINATIONS IN THE SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADES IS: MONDAY MORNING—HISTORY, A EIGHTH; LITERATURE, B EIGHTH; GRAMMAR, A SEVENTH; ARITHMETIC, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY MORNING—MUSIC AND DRAWING, A EIGHTH; ALGEBRA, B EIGHTH; HISTORY, A SEVENTH; GEOGRAPHY, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON—LITERATURE, A EIGHTH; GRAMMAR, B EIGHTH; MUSIC AND DRAWING, A EIGHTH; ALGEBRA, B EIGHTH; HISTORY, A SEVENTH; GEOGRAPHY, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY MORNING—GRAMMAR, A EIGHTH; PHYSIOLOGY, B EIGHTH; HISTORY, A SEVENTH; GEOGRAPHY, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON—LITERATURE, A EIGHTH; GRAMMAR, B EIGHTH; MUSIC AND DRAWING, A EIGHTH; ALGEBRA, B EIGHTH; HISTORY, A SEVENTH; GEOGRAPHY, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY MORNING—ALGEBRA, A EIGHTH; PHYSIOLOGY, B EIGHTH; HISTORY, A SEVENTH; GEOGRAPHY, B SEVENTH.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON—CIVICS, A EIGHTH; HISTORY, B EIGHTH; LITERATURE, A SEVENTH;

# The Last Week of the Greatest Clearance Sale Ever Known in Paducah

## Starts at Our Store Monday Morning at 9 O'clock, Continuing All Week

PRICES on all our clothes have been greatly reduced for this final event. This will undoubtedly close our sale for this immediate season and, as we are desirous of getting rid of every dollar's worth of stock beneath our roof during this last week's sale, we have sacrificed the prices so that any lady could not help but exclaim: "Oh, how wonderfully cheap! I don't see how you could do it."

Our store will remain closed until 9 o'clock in order to prepare the stock for the terrible slash that that hour will bring forth. It is merely a remnant of our large and fine stock and, as we have been so successful with the season's business, we stand ready to take our loss on this remnant of stock with the best of grace and feeling.

All items mentioned in this sale will be sold beginning at 9 o'clock Monday morning and until all have been sold the price remains unchanged. During this sale we make no exchanges; we take nothing back and, above all, desire the cash for every purchase made.

Be with us early Monday morning to attend the last week of the greatest clearance sale ever inaugurated during Paducah's career.

Choice of any Evening Gown in our store, beginning Monday morning at 9 o'clock, will be.....	<b>\$18.95</b>	Choice of any Near Seal Jacket that sold for \$40 or \$35 during next weeks will be.....	<b>\$19.98</b>	Choice of thirty plain or embroidered loose fitting cloaks, that sold for \$20 and \$25, next week for.....	<b>\$10.00</b>	Choice of any child's coat in the house all next week for.....	<b>\$1.75</b>
There are probably seventeen of these dresses, former prices on them were from \$40 to \$65.		These coats are made of XXX Near Seal, brocaded satin or plain satin lined, loose or tight fitting back. Former price \$35 and \$40.		These include our very best loose fitting coats, which are absolutely new in style and good in quality. Colors are brown, tan, red, black and gray.		There are probably twenty-five of these in sizes from 6 to 12 years; not a single coat in the lot sold for less than \$5 and some of them were as much as \$12.50.	
Choice of any \$45 or \$50 Velvet Suit will be sold at our store Monday morning at 10 o'clock and throughout the entire week for.....	<b>\$15.00</b>	Choice of any Evening Wrap, including all the high colors, for all next week will be.....	<b>\$14.95</b>	Choice of about fifty fancy mixtures in loose and semi-fitting backs, all sizes, will be sold next week for.....	<b>\$4.95</b>	Choice of any shirt Covert Coat all next week for.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
These suits are in black, brown, navy and dark red; the styles are of the very latest cut and \$45 and \$50 were the former prices.		These wraps have the new Mandarin sleeve and the vest that makes them the latest evening wrap worn. There are probably twenty of these coats left and old prices were \$40 and \$45.		These are excellent Tourist Coats, made by the best manufacturers and sold all throughout this season for \$16. \$12 and \$15.		These lot is also included a number of navy blue and brown short jackets, all lined with good taffeta or satin, lining and former price was \$10 and \$12.50.	
Choice of any short Caracal Coat in our store for Monday morning's sale will be.....	<b>\$15.00</b>	Choice of a lot of forty suits that were \$18 to \$20 price all during next week will be.....	<b>\$10.00</b>	Choice of any white, light gray or fancy light weight skirt all next week for.....	<b>\$4.89</b>	Choice of forty Silk Petticoats, guaranteed taffeta, all next week for.....	<b>\$3.95</b>
These coats sold for \$25 to \$40; they are all made of French Caracal, and as to material there isn't anything upstairs from so low as a lady to wear.		These would be magnificent values if you had to pay \$20 for them. They are all new styles and made of good quality of broadcloth; all sizes.		These are voile and light-weight Skirts that we carried over from our last summer's season; the cheapest of any in this lot were \$10. There are a number of good ones that are slightly soiled, that sold for \$15. Any of these will be sold next week at above price.		This is a new lot that we got in to sell for \$5.98, but in order to give you the best petticoat obtainable we are advertising the above remarkable low price.	
Choice for any long black or tan tight fitting Coat in our store all next week will be.....	<b>\$12.95</b>	Choice of a lot of Ladies' Fancy Mixed Coats all next week for.....	<b>\$2.95</b>	Choice of plaid or stripe Silk Waists all next week for.....	<b>\$2.69</b>	These \$5 and \$6 waists are pretty. They are very nicely made and include good quality of taffeta silk. These waists come in all sizes and colors.	
This includes every long Broadcloth, Vicuna or Covert Coat we have in stock; there are all sizes and most of them are lined throughout with satin. Former price of this coat was \$25.		We have all sizes in this lot and the former prices on them ranged from \$5 to \$10. The coat is made of a good quality all-wool fancy plaids or mixtures.					

### EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES ON FINE SUITS

We haven't many and our stock lacks a great deal of being complete, yet there remains probably twenty suits that sold from \$50 to \$100. The cloths in these garments are the product of the best foreign factories and the workmanship is the best. As these have been merged for this sale and the prices we will put on them will enable you to buy a suit when you attend this sale that begins Monday morning at 9 o'clock.



### Low Prices on Furs

The most extraordinary low prices on Fur Coats, Fur Muffs and Fur Scarfs. Over \$5,000 worth of Furs from which to make your selection. It would be quite impossible for us to mention prices on Fur Scarfs or Muffs; we can only say that during this sale the prices will be lower than they have ever been at any time it has been our pleasure to do business with Paducah buyers.

### AT THE CHURCHES

#### Baptist.

FIRST—The Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor. Morning subject: "The House of God." Evening subject: "Be Sure Your Sin Will Find You Out."

NORTH TWELFTH STREET — The Rev. J. R. Clark, pastor. Usual service will be held tomorrow.

SECOND—The Rev. L. G. Graham, pastor. Usual services tomorrow.

#### Methodist.

BROADWAY—The Rev. G. T. Sullivan, D. D., pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Morning topic: "Who Is My Neighbor" in the evening, by special request of the Epworth League. Dr. Sullivan will begin a series of sermons on the Ten Commandments. The members are especially asked to attend these sermons. Epworth League service at 6:30 p. m. in the lecture room.

THIRD STREET—The Rev. H. B. Terry, pastor. Morning subject: "The Basic Principles of the Work of the Holy Spirit." Evening subject: "The Hiding of the Power." Sunday

school at 9 a. m. Class meeting in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MECHANICSBURG — The Rev. J. W. Cantrell, pastor. Sunday school 9:15, G. W. Smith, superintendent; preaching 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Junior League, 2:30 p. m.; Senior League, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday.

TRIMBLE STREET—The Rev. Joseph B. Sears, of Texas, is visiting in the city and will preach at the Trimble Street Methodist church tomorrow morning at 11 a. m. Mr. Sears is missionary secretary of the Texas conference and one of the strong men of Texas Methodism. He is a brother of the Rev. A. N. Sears and B. F. Sears, of this city. The Rev. G. W. Banks will fill his pulpit at 7:30 p. m.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

The pastor will fill an appointment in the county Sunday morning. In the evening the sermon will be in the English language.

CHRISTIAN.

TENTH STREET — Preaching morning and evening by Elder J. C. Rudd, of Fulton. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. All members requested to attend.

FIRST—The Rev. S. B. Moore, pastor. Morning subject: "The Witch

of Worldliness." Evening subject: "A Godforsaken Man in a Witch's Hovel." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

#### Presbyterian.

FIRST—The Rev. W. E. Cave, pastor. Morning subject: "Christianity a Finality." Evening subject: "A Faithful Saying."

KENTUCKY AVENUE—The Rev. J. R. Henry, pastor. Morning subject: "The Providence of God." Subject for evening not announced.

#### Christian Science.

Services Sunday 10:30 a. m.; Wednesday 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Hall 527½ Broadway.

#### Salvation Army, 800 South Fifth.

Sunday services as follows: At 11 a. m.; holiness meeting, 3 p. m.; song and testimony meeting, 8 p. m.; gospel service and chalk talk. Children's meeting at 2 o'clock. Open air meeting on Broadway one-half hour previous to these meetings.

#### Episcopal.

GRACE—The Rev. D. C. Wright, rector. The Rt. Rev. Bishop of the Diocese will visit the parish tomorrow.

Holy communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30. Morning prayer, confirmation and sermon, 10:45.

Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m. Monday Bible lecture in the parish house at 4 o'clock. Parish supper Wednesday night at 6:30 in honor of the bishop. All members of the congregation are invited.

CHURCH NOTES.

The regular Christian Endeavor service will be held at 6:30 Sabbath evening at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church. Lesson for study—Denominational Home Missions.

Church for evening. Miss Bessie Hoven.

The Children's Bible Study Circle will meet Sabbath afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the pastor's study of the First Presbyterian church with Miss Peggi Campbell. All members are requested to be present for special work.

The Ladies' Home Mission society of the Trimble Street Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. C. W. Morrison, 1161 North Twelfth street.

#### Will Manufacture Equity Tobacco.

Lerlington, Ky., Jan. 25.—On Monday Lexington will have three tobacco factories. The White Plume Tobacco company announces today that on Monday it will open for the manufacture of Equity Society tobacco, working twenty men.

### FIGHT WILL GO ON

#### FORAKER HAS NO INTENTION OF GIVING UP.

#### Surprised at Harding's Action, But Says It Is "Merely One Man Dropping Out."

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 25.—Senator B. Foraker said last night that the fight for delegates to the Republican national convention will be continued, even though some of the best known supporters have been reported to have deserted him. This statement was made because of the report that former Lieut. Gov. Harding, one of his warm personal friends, had announced himself in favor of Secretary of War William H. Taft, although heretofore strongly supporting Senator Foraker for the nomination. Senator Foraker said:

"I was greatly surprised by the action of former Lieut. Gov. Harding. I had no idea that he thought of taking any such step. I supposed he, in common with all my other friends, not only knew but approved the position I had taken in regard to the call for primaries, namely:

"That the terms and conditions of the call were illegal and so burdensome as to make compliance with the requirements of the call practically impossible. He is entitled the same as any other man to his own views, but in this case, as in all other such cases, it is simply one man dropping out. If we do not get rid of the call for the state convention through the action of the supreme court and get a fair call as a substitute for it, the contest will be continued in the districts.

"I am glad to know that I still retain his friendship and good will."

#### Hunting for Bryan's Scalp.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The Democrats, who want to beat Bryan, are directing their footsteps to Washington. Today ex-Senator James Smith, of New Jersey, and Wm. F. Sheehan, of New York, came to Washington. Bryan is due here tomorrow. The mission of Smith and Sheehan is to try to get Democratic senators and Republicans to tell Bryan that he ought to keep out of the race and give a chance to some Democrat who can be elected.

The Evening Sun—10c a week.

### STOCK YARD CHARGES

#### FIXED BY DRASIC MEASURE BEFORE LEGISLATURE.

#### Regulates the Prices at Which Producers Must Be Furnished the Shippers.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 25.—Senator R. W. Owen, of Hancock county, has introduced a bill in the senate to regulate the fees charged by stock yards in Kentucky. The measure fixes the maximum fees or charges that may be made by stock yards for the care and feed of cattle, sheep and hogs received for sale, and provides that no more than 50 per cent greater than the market price may be charged for any provision furnished, which shall be weighed and the charges determined by the actual weight at the transaction. The same bill was also offered in the house. Violations are punishable by a fine of from \$25 to \$100 for each offense.

## ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE OF The Racket Store's Great Clearance Sale

Everything that has been in the sale is still in it. In a few days the red tickets will be taken off--all Clearance Sale signs taken down---and the Sale will be at an end.

#### A Great Saving

Throughout the entire stock there's a great saving for you. Blankets, Comforts, all sorts of knit Underwear, Hosiery, Men's Shirts Collars, Neckties, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, bleached and Crown Domestics, Dress Goods of all kinds and Silks.

#### Ruffled Curtains

There's a big saving to you in these items as well as hundreds of other things.

Too many on hand.

50c Curtains cut to, pair..... **39c**  
98c Curtains cut to, pair..... **78c**  
1.15 Curtains cut to, pair..... **88c**  
1.25 Curtains cut to, pair..... **98c**

#### Kid Gloves

A lot of \$1 and \$1.25 undressed Kid Gloves for ladies cut to. **.69c**  
Some are silk lined.

We want you to see these goods. We want you to take advantage of this great money-saving sale which is the most successful in Paducah's history.

#### Lace Hosiery

We are overstocked on several lots of ladies' Lace Hosiery. You can buy these hose at less than wholesale prices.

**48c** Imported Lace Hose in black white, pink, light blue and gray, cut to, pair..... **31c**  
**39c** and **35c** Imported Lace Hose in black and white, cut to..... **25c**

These hose go on sale Monday morning at these prices.

#### Muslin Underwear

The special prices marked on the Undermuslins have sold hundreds of dollars worth the past week. These prices will hold good until the sale closes.

**PURCELL & THOMPSON**

# GIGANTIC CLEANUP SALE

Monday, Jan. 27

**J. A. Rudy & Sons**  
219-223 Broadway.

Monday, Jan. 27

## Every Garment in Our Ready-to-Wear Stock at Tremendous Reductions Some One-Half, Some One-Fourth Original Prices

**Fur Sets, Coat Suits, Wool Skirts, Silk Skirts, Fancy Waists, Children's Suits, All Ready-to-Wear Garments at Remarkably Low Prices--Fur Coats, Evening Coats, Wool Coats.**

YOUR money always buys more at this great store than elsewhere in Paducah, but never before did it buy as much as it will in the great reduction sale we shall inaugurate Monday in our Ready-to-Wear Department. While there are at least three months more of weather that demands winter garments ahead of you, the season has ended for us, and our attention is now directed toward spring. So to properly prepare we are cleaning out old stocks.

Just take the time to read a few of the prices below so you will properly appreciate the extent of the reductions we are making. \$10.00, for instance, will buy choice of a lot of suits formerly priced at \$25 to \$40. Can you afford not to investigate such offerings? Every winter suit in the house is included in this sale, and every reduction will approximate one-half. At such prices you could afford three or four suits.

Get in on these bargains bright and early, for such prices will move them quickly.

**Sale Starts Monday, Continuing All Week.**



**Ladies' Sailor Suits**  
Choice \$10  
Original Price \$42.50 to  
\$25.00

These suits are all of our latest fall suits, best of condition and style in blacks and three fancy mixtures that sold this season from \$42.50 to \$25; choice \$10.00

**Ladies' Electric and Near Seal Coats**  
Original Price \$35, \$40, \$49.50  
Choice \$25.00

These coats are made of the best grades of electric seal and near seal, are one of our strongest sellers and are guaranteed for one year; we offer choice of what we have left in \$35, \$40, \$49.50 line at \$25.00  
Two brown Coney Coats, original price \$25, size 36; choice \$15.98

**Ladies' \$9 Crushed Velvet Coats, Black, \$3.98**

These coats we have only eight in lot; black, 24 inches long, lined with satin, original price \$9.00; choice \$3.98

**Ladies' Skirts, Colored, \$6.90**

Original Price \$10 to \$8.50

This lot includes this season's styles in blue, brown, black Chiffon Panama skirts that are worth \$10 to \$8.50; choice \$6.90

**Any Child's Coat at Half Price**

Consisting of all colors and sizes—4 to 14 years—in blue, brown, red; original price \$9.90 to \$2.00; choice Half Price



**Ladies' Caracul Coats \$32.50 to \$16.50--Choice \$10**

These coats are very popular and one of the newest and most serviceable materials in black—22 and 24 inch coats—original prices \$32.50 to \$16.50—Choice \$10.00  
\$12.50 to \$10.00—Choice \$5.98

**Ladies' Rain Coats \$5.00**

Original Price \$25.00 to \$12.50

We have eight rain coats, sizes 36 to 40, originally sold \$25 to \$12.50; choice \$5.00

**Ladies' Skirts, Black, Choice \$7.98**  
Original Price 14.50, 12.50, 10.00.

All this season's styles in black—Panama and Chiffon Panama—cut full, plaited and trimmed in bands. This lot includes about 75 skirts to choose of—\$14.50, \$12.50 and \$10 values at \$7.98



**Fur Sets**

Price \$100 to 95c

**Choice Half Price**

**Fur Pieces**

Price \$50 to 95 Cents

**Choice Half Price**

This is your opportunity to buy handsome Furs at a remarkable reduction—a great deal lower than the original cost to us—but rather than carry over to next season we offer choice of any fur piece or set in our house **1/2 Price**

Furs are always good. We store them free during summer season.

**Ladies' \$25 Black Coats \$10**  
50 in. long black coat, lined throughout with satin and braid trimed—all sizes; original price \$25, \$20, \$15 coats, \$10.00  
choice

**Ladies' Black Silk Skirts \$7.98**  
Original Price \$12.50 to \$16.50

This lot of skirts is made of one of the best black taffeta silks; dress skirts that are best styles and worth \$16.50 to \$12.50; choice \$7.98

**Ladies' \$12.50 Tan Coats \$5.98**

50 in. all wool Covert and Melton Tan Coats and a few blacks, original price \$12.50, \$10.00 and \$9.50, all sizes; \$5.98  
choice

**Fancy Plaid Waists, Choice \$3.98  
\$5.90 and \$6.50 Values**

These waists are all this season's styles and exceptional values—fancy plaids and few solid colors; broken sizes; to sell quickly; choice \$3.98

**Ladies' 50-in \$9.50 Coats \$3.98**

50 in. plaid and plain ladies' blue, tan, black and fancies, all sizes and all wool coats; original price \$9.50 and \$8.50; \$3.98  
choice

**Ladies' Skirts, Choice \$1.58, \$2.98**

This lot is composed of skirts that are last season's styles, but good values and very similar to this season's styles. They are worth \$10.00 to \$5.00, in colors.  
Choice \$5 Skirts \$1.58  
Choice \$10 and \$8.50 Skirts \$2.98

All goods at reduced prices  
cash at time of purchase.

Charges will be made for alterations.

**To Our Out-of-Town Customers**

Come to this sale, for it will certainly pay you. Besides the greatly reduced prices on winter apparel, we are showing quite a few new styles for spring in Suits and Waists.

We suggest that you watch for our clearance sales in other departments the next two weeks, as we shall offer you the greatest money saving opportunities of recent years.

No goods bought at reduced prices will be taken back or exchanged.

**The  
KENTUCKY  
FRIDAY  
JAN'Y 31**

Sale Opens Tuesday, Jan. 28.

## PRICES

ORCHESTRA—	
First twelve rows.....	\$2.00
Remainder of orchestra.....	1.50
BALCONY—	
Five rows.....	1.00
Balance of balcony.....	.75
GALLERY—	
Reserved.....	.50



Miss Roberta Wilson in "Isle of Spice," at The Kentucky Wednesday night, January 29.

**JUDGE THINKS EVIL NEEDFUL.**  
Says That Without It Little Progress Could Be Made.

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 25.—"Evil is a necessity," said Judge Willard McEwen, of Chicago, before the smoker conference of the steel works club. "It is a necessity because without it

we could make little if any progress. What we need nowadays are more balanced men, balanced in proper relationship with brain and muscle. Nowadays the muscle man is complaining loudly against brains because, says the man of muscles, brains are securing the most and best of this world's goods, comforts and enjoyments."

**The Old Reliable  
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Is responsible and deserves credit for the reduced prices on coal--not Noble & Yeiser. On the contrary, they protested against the reduction.

**St. Bernard is the Best Coal in the City.**

**Nut is now . . . . . 14c  
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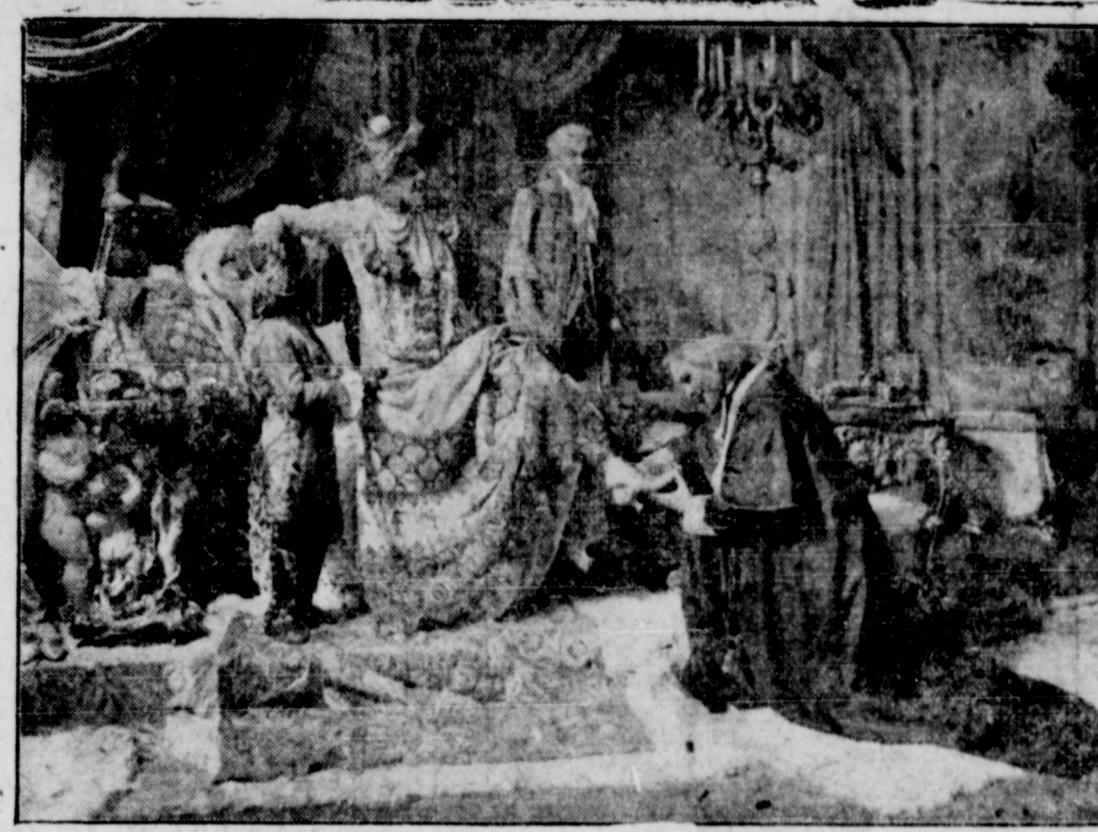
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**JUDGE THINKS EVIL NEEDFUL**  
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Joliet, Ill., Jan. 25.—"Evil is a necessity," said Judge Willard McEwen, of Chicago, before the smoker conference of the steel works club. "It is a necessity because without it

we could make little if any progress. What we need nowadays are more balanced men, balanced in proper relationship with brain and muscle. Nowadays the muscle man is complaining loudly against brains because, says the man of muscles, brains are securing the most and best of this world's goods, comforts and enjoyments."

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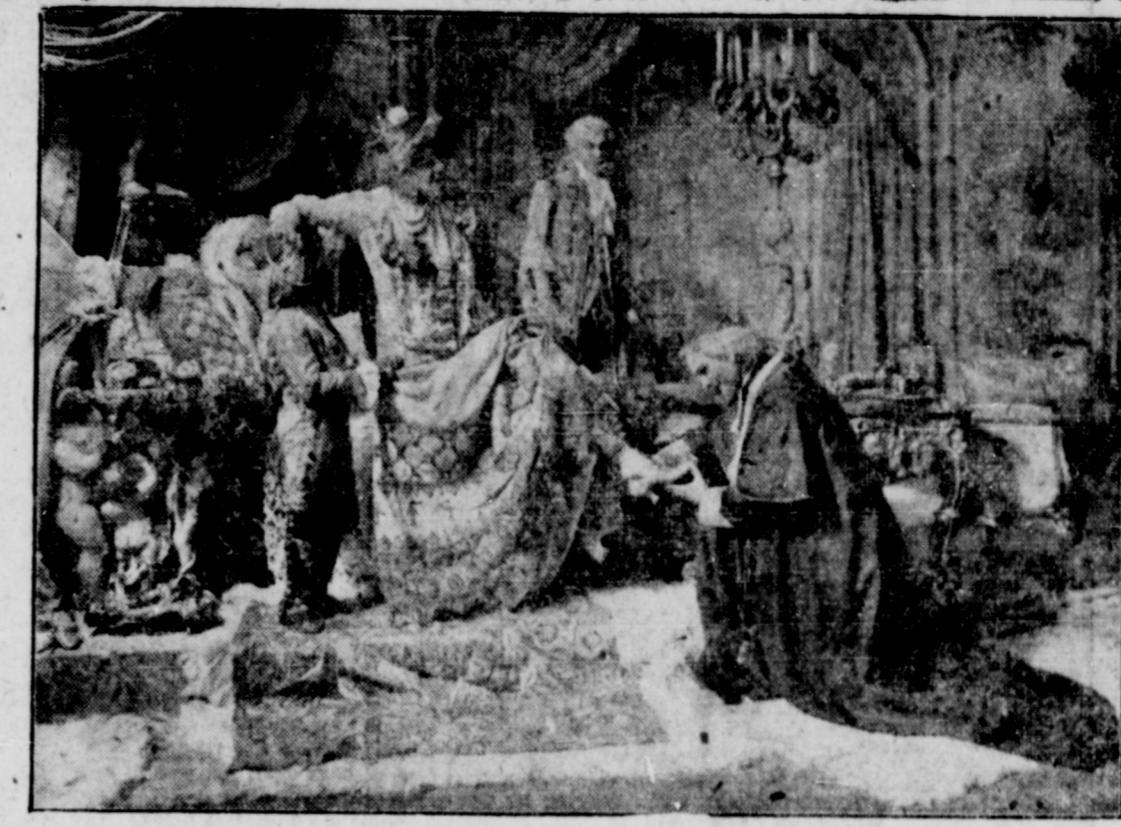
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### RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED.

Opening address of Mrs. A. M. Harrison at Lexington mass meeting:

Almost all large subjects can be approached from several different points of view. The theme for consideration this afternoon, "School Suffrage for the Women of Kentucky Who Can Read and Write," might be treated from the side of right and justice. The fact that women and the mothers of the race—that childhood has ever been regarded as the most sacred charge of womanhood—might be urged as a fundamental reason for the exercise of this privilege. The child leaves home at six years of age for school—is not the mother as vitally concerned in its welfare during the formation period of its school life as during its years of infancy, and should she not have the same voice in its management and environment at this time?

### To Follow the Procession.

We might urge it from the side of being in accord with the spirit of the age. In more than thirty out of the fifty states and territories in our land women have some form of school suffrage, and it seems to have been uniformly beneficial when once given a fair trial. Is it not a significant fact that every state having less than one per cent of illiteracy has school suffrage for women? Why should the women of Kentucky be denied a privilege that the women in thirty-one other states have used for the promotion of the cause of education, and therefore for the crying cause of a better citizenship?

### What We Want It For.

But the point of approach in this movement to present a bill to the general assembly now in session at Frankfort for school suffrage with an educational qualification for the women of our state was not along the general line of claiming it as a just right for the mothers of the race, or of the natural desire of wanting to be in the fashion with about two-thirds of our sister states, but our primary point of approach is the unselfish and patriotic wish to be able to do our part in removing the dark stigma of illiteracy from our beloved commonwealth.

### The Facts Before the People.

The effective work of the committee on education of the Kentucky Federation of Women's clubs has wisely disseminated the humiliating facts revealed by the last federal census—that in the percentage of illiteracy in our population of ten years and over we rank 37th by our total population; if we strike out our negro population we descend five points in the scale and rank forty-second; if we eliminate our foreign white population we descend one point more, and on the basis of our native white voters of twenty-one years and over, of native white parentage, our rank is forty ninth, leaving of all states and territories, including Alaska and Hawaii, only North Carolina, Louisiana and New Mexico lower than we. When these facts were generally realized by the more than 5,000 women composing the membership of the Federation, they said as with one voice, "These things must no longer be!"

### The Federation Pledged.

This body stands pledged and ready to do all it can for the betterment of educational conditions in our state, its campaign for the improvement of our public schools has already resulted in the formation of school improvement leagues in thirty-eight of our counties—mostly in connection with our rural schools.

### School Suffrage.

Its leaders and members feel that this work can be immensely forwarded by granting to women of education the right of school suffrage. In accordance with this, the following resolution was presented and passed at the last annual convention at Shelbyville:

"Whereas, The Women of Kentucky are deeply stirred by the educational needs of the state, and deplore the illiteracy and badly equipped school buildings, the short average term, the poorly paid teachers, and the alarming fact that over half the children of school age are out of school; and

"Whereas, We believe the remedy of these conditions lies in the voting of local taxes, in securing earnest and disinterested persons as school trustees and members of city school boards, in the merit system for teachers, and in other reforms, the means towards which must be found in an enlightened school electorate, and

"Whereas, We realize that all efforts of women in behalf of schools are feeble compared to the power they would exert if included in the school electorate; therefore

"Resolved, That, while not abating any of our efforts to improve the schools by the indirect means now open to us, we exert ourselves to the utmost to secure school suffrage for Kentucky women having the ability to read and write."

A legislative committee was formed with Mrs. Desha Breckinridge as

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Lincoln and Breckinridge Will Be the  
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Checks.

The likeness of the great commoner Henry Clay, is not to displace the picture of the late Governor William Goebel upon the official checks of the state of Kentucky after all, says the Frankfort Journal.

Gov. Willson yesterday notified State Superintendent of Printing J. W. Hadden to rescind the order for the picture of Clay. He said that he had decided to adorn the checks with an engraving of the great seal of Kentucky.

The governor has designed new figures for the seal which he believes will carry out to a better extent the intent of the two figures clasping hands, under the motto, "United, We Stand; Divided, We Fall."

The governor said that the seal was adopted in the days of the Whigs and old Democrats; now the Whig party is no more, so he believes that a seal with a more modern application would prove more suitable. Accordingly he has made inquiries of leading citizens and students, and says that the late Gen. John C. Breckinridge could stand as a more typical Democrat, than anyone thought of. Of course Abraham Lincoln, a native of Kentucky, was chosen as the Republican. The new seals will bear the two male figures shaking hands under the time honored motto, and one of the men will have the features of General Breckinridge while the other will be that of President Lincoln. The governor believes that such a plan will meet the entire approval of all the people of the commonwealth.

### WITHDRAWALS BEGUN.

Secretary Cortelyou Will Take Pub-  
lic Money from Banks.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The secretary of the treasury late today announced that owing to the great improvement in the financial conditions throughout the country he had begun a gradual withdrawal of deposits of public moneys, in moderate amounts from the national banks.

The first call has been made upon New York banks and amounts to approximately ten million dollars. This is in addition to about ten million dollars returned by New York banks since December 26.

The secretary also announced that a general call for a moderate amount will be made upon banks in other cities at an early date.

The price of eggs in England has advanced greatly in late years. The value of last year's home product was £2,500,000 greater than that of twelve years ago.

### JAPAN'S BUDGET IS PREPARED. Revenues for the Coming Year Esti- mated at 616,000,000 Yen.

Tokio, Jan. 25.—A summary of the budget of the Japanese government for the fiscal year commencing April 1 next, which is to be submitted to the diet, was obtained today. The total estimated revenues for the year are put down at 616,000,000 yen (about \$308,000,000), of which 175,700,000 yen is from ordinary revenue and 140,300,000 yen is from extraordinary revenue. The ordinary expenditures for the year are estimated at 427,000,000 yen and the extraordinary expenditures at 189,000,000 yen.

The sum of 176,000,000 yen is appropriated for the national debt sinking fund, of which 38,000,000 yen will be spent for the payment of the principal.

In considering Japan's finances, attention is called to the volume of the foreign trade of Japan during 1907. This shows that exports and imports amounted respectively to 490,000,000 yen and 430,000,000 yen, making the total of 920,000,000 yen, which exceeds that of the previous year by 84,000,000 yen.

### GOVERNOR OF CUBA IS CALLED TO WASHINGTON.

Havana, Jan. 24.—Announcement was made at this place that Governor Magoon had been summoned to Washington. There is much interest and speculation regarding the intentions of the president. Magoon will sail Monday.

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James Jr., Hopes to Occupy "Fire  
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HE RECEIVES MANY VISITORS.

Mayor Smith, is no doubt, the busi-  
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his great property interests, his gro-  
cery and allied business, and the city's  
business, all, on his shoulders, but he  
has not shown any signs of bending  
under the burdens.

He is in his office bright and early  
every morning and has time for every  
caller. His first business of the day  
is his visit to his wholesale grocery,  
where he spends two hours' time,  
then he goes to his office in the city  
hall, where there are always many  
visitors, on one mission and another.

Probably none of his visitors re-  
ceive more cordial welcome than his  
wife and two children, who have  
made it a custom to visit him every  
morning, for a few moments. The  
children, especially, take a great in-  
terest in the affairs of the hall, and  
James, Jr., takes especial delight in  
climbing up into a big chair in the  
mayor's office, which he says is "the  
fire chief's," and to which he hopes  
to some day fall heir.

Mrs. Smith accompanied the mayor  
on his trip to New Orleans, when the  
silver service was presented the gun-  
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cities, who will gather there to draft  
some legislative measures which they  
wish passed at this term of the leg-  
islature. "I intend to go with the  
mayor on all of his junkets," she said  
to a reporter today, "as I enjoy them  
very much myself."

**Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick  
women to write her for advice.**

The following letter serves to prove this fact.

Mrs. Mattie Copenhaver, 315 So.  
21st St., Parsons, Kans., writes:

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Former Secretary Tells of Various  
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Shaw paid his respects to President  
Roosevelt today. Mr. Shaw said for  
the first time in some years he was  
now able to take a day's complete  
rest from active occupation. He said  
that he had been asked if he was a  
candidate for the presidency or the  
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reorganize and consolidate the United  
States Mortgage and Trust company  
and the Windsor and Empire Trust  
companies of New York.

"I have answered all of these re-  
ports in the affirmative and shall ac-  
cept every position," laughingly re-  
marked Mr. Shaw.

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The man who wrote "Ta-Ra-Ra-Boom-De-Ay," though not the man who wrote "I'm the Man That Wrote Ta-Ra-Ra-Boom-De-Ay," has been a visitor in Indianapolis for the last few days, says the *News* of that city. He is Theodore A. Metz, of Stamford, Conn., once a citizen of Indianapolis. He is likewise the man who wrote "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight" and "Sweet Marie," two songs that nearly every person in the United States has sung. Metz is on the road popularizing a new song of his own, which he calls "Plain John Smith." It takes time, he says; but he hopes to make his new song as great a favorite as the famous three mentioned.

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the train, and we fixed up some words for it and sang it that night. It did make a hit in Old Town all right, but nowhere else to any extent.

"We used that for a while, but with no great success. In 1896 I was in the publishing business, as I am now, in Stamford. Joe Hayden said to me: 'I've got a set of words that would fit that melody of yours beautifully.' He had been to eleven publishing houses, he said, and had been turned down by every one of them. We put the words and music together, and his daughter, Ola Hayden, sang it in Boston for six weeks. The words were changed every time we thought of a new line better than an old one, but as it was finally sung it was pretty much in the form that I wrote it.

"We arranged to put it on at Koster & Bial's roof garden in New York, and Josephine Sable sang it. We taught the song to fifty 'coons' and scattered them through the audience and we got every friend we had in the theatrical business who could sing to help it along, and when Josephine Sable sang it the first time all those 'coons' and friends of ours in the audience joined in the second chorus. It took the town by storm. Thatcher & Primrose took it out with them in 1897. Primrose had a negro dressed up in the same freakish clothes—the white hat, red overcoat and so forth—that he wore, sitting up in the gallery. This negro would join in the chorus. Then he'd amble down through the balcony and the orchestra singing along with Primrose. He'd cakewalk down the aisle of the orchestra, where Primrose would meet him and escort him to the stage.

"Well, in 1908 the Spanish-American war broke out. Every band that marched away or stayed at home and marched played the 'Hot Time' song. 'Sweet Marie.' Wrote that in Columbus, O., Christmas Eve, 1889. Was headed back east with Thatcher's minstrels from a trip to California. Raymond Moore, the tenor, showed me a bit of poetry he had picked up in San Francisco. A newspaper man wrote it, he said, and he thought it ought to make a good song. He indicated the air he'd like to have composed for it.

"You blamed thief," I said, "that's a Salvation Army tune." He insisted, though, that it was a good air, and I composed the music along the line he suggested. I went to Europe that summer because of rheumatism. When I came back it seemed like

#### LONGEST QUESTION ON RECORD.

Lawyer Commences It on Tuesday and Gets to the End on Thursday.

Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Long-distance records for hypothetical questions went to smash before a jury in the court of common pleas at noon Thursday, when counsel for the relatives of the late Clinton Schenckel, who are suing to break his will, finished a question which he started to put to a witness at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. The trial has been going on since the beginning of the January term, a week ago last Monday. The court is in session from 10 to 3.

The witness to whom the question was put was Dr. Charles G. Hill, alibi, and was in regard to the mental ability of the testator to make a proper will.

At the conclusion Dr. Hill declared it his belief that a man laboring under conditions with which Mr. Schenckel was said to be was not capable of making a will.

#### Unknown Philippines.

These great unknown islands spell neglected opportunity; millions and millions of acres have never known even the wild man's crude plow, says Hamilton Wright, in *The World Today*. One may, in regions, travel for days, weeks, without seeing a native. He will pass through realms of extreme fertility and beauty, through vast upland meadows of rich pasture grass, growing knee high and concealing a soil rich and black as that of Egypt; across quiet savannas where strange trees dot the landscape as do the mountain oaks of the California Sierras. But for the lack of sleek cattle, one might here fancy himself in a deserted orchard pasture in New England. Streams, clear, cold and crystal, spring from the mountain heights and bubble through the mountain meadows.

In the lowlands, jungles of wild bananas wave in the wind, their fruit uncropped; in the uplands thousands of acres of wild hemp are never stripped; on the mountain tops the Igorrotes grow as fine long-staple cotton as any in the world, but crudely. For each cotton plant stands alone on the summit of a hummock, which is six or eight feet from the next hummock, and surrounded by the water of a rice paddy. The cotton grows well enough, and an immense quantity could be grown on the idle areas, but the Igorrotes are skilled only in the raising of rice. Wild peanuts, wild camotes (sweet potato), wild oranges of many kinds and some of a delicious flavor, wild limes, wild rubber and gutta percha, thousands of products of the tropical, semi-tropical, and, in the higher altitudes of the temperate zone, are neglected.

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#### CONDAMN FREE SEED PRACTICE.

Farmers at Convention Decide Distribution Is Not Desirable.

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 25.—Congressional distribution of seeds is undesirable, the agricultural club decided in a debate at the Corn Growers' and Stockmen's convention. C. D. Smith, of Grandview, and A. N. Hume, of the department of agronomy addressed the farmers' school today.

The greatest known depth at which any green plant grows in fresh water is reached by a moss called *Thamnium lemanii*, which has been lately discovered by Prof. F. A. Forel, 200 feet below the surface of the Lake of Geneva.

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## SCENE OF GREAT PLAY LAID IN LOUISVILLE

Agustus Thomas Uses State and City in Drama.

"The Witching Hour," One of the Strong Plays of the Day Has Odd Theme.

INTERESTING REVIEW OF STORY

"The Witching Hour," a new play by Agustus Thomas, which is creating a sensation in the theatrical world in Chicago and New York, has two of its scenes laid in Louisville, and will be of interest to Kentuckians for a reference, also, to the assassination of Goebel.

The motif animating the play is defined by Mr. Thomas in these words:

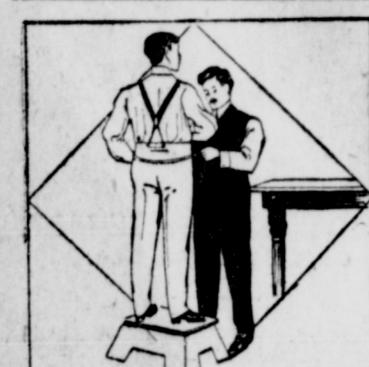
"In this play I have tried to enunciate two related facts: The first one is that thought is a dynamic force, or, scientifically expressed, the fact of telepathy. This fact is accepted by every accredited psychologist in the world. There will be those among the informed who will think, and with whom I shall agree, that in the statement of this fact in dramatic form I have been fairly redundant, but I shall ask them to consider, as I have considered, the auditors to whom the idea comes newly.

"The second fact is the logical and ethical deduction from the first fact, that if thought is a dynamic force the possessor of a thought is responsible for its character. The members of a large part of the community with whom I am in sympathy have long been accustomed to regard their private minds as a park in which there might be neither prohibition nor policemen, but if, as the scientists assert, a malignant and destructive thought of mine, like a circling Marconigram, affects, first my family, then acquaintances, before it finally filters impotently to its destruction, I want to know it; and if, after twenty years of fairly intelligent investigation I believe that it is so, I feel it my duty as a dramatist to state it."

The lesson of the play is unmistakable, for it premises on which it rests are not controversial. As early as 1892 Dr. Thomas Hudson declared that all the psychic demonstrations, whether designated by the name of mesmerism, hypnotism, somnambulism, trance spiritism, demonology or mental therapeutics are to be understood by some general principle of law, and the nearest approach to a statement of the law is made by Mr. Thomas. In other words, thought travels just as electricity, light and heat, and registers somewhere after it has left the mind of its creator.

Mr. Thomas seems to have the credit of writing the first telepathic play. George Bernard Shaw said that things become current first, through the philosopher, then ten years later through the newspapers, and twenty years later, through the stage. The danger of writing a telepathic play at this particular time would seem to be the fact that it would be about twenty years ahead of Mr. Shaw's schedule.

The first scene is laid in Louisville, Ky. Jack Brookfield is a professional gambler, and has become very wealthy though he has the reputation of always playing a "straight game." Mrs. Whipple, the woman he loves, has refused to marry him because of his "profession," and on the night that the play opens he asks her, now a widow with a son to, to take up



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the old romance and conclude the story. They are interrupted by the appearance of Judge Prentiss, of the supreme court, who comes to look at a Corot that is in the collection of Brookfield. The judge answers several questions that Brookfield is thinking of asking.

"Do you pick your answers often like that?" asked the gambler.

And then the judge proceeds to explain that telepathy is an accepted scientific fact, all of which is new to Brookfield, who now muses on his own ability to win at cards. The act concludes with the murder of a drunken man by young Whipple, who has an inherited aversion to a cat's eye pin and is unable to restrain himself when the drunken man pushes it in front of his face.

In the second act the library of Judge Prentiss in Washington is shown. Young Whipple has been tried for murder and found guilty and the case is now before the supreme court on a constitutional point. Brookfield and his old sweetheart, who is the mother of the guilty boy, come to the judge to remind him that years before he had fought a duel with a man over this very same cat's eye aversion and the girl involved in the duel was the grandmother of young Whipple.

The third act is back in Kentucky and the second trial of the boy has just been completed. The judge has given his testimony and the jury is out. The prosecuting attorney has been unusually bitter against the boy, for they had both been suitors for the hand of Brookfield's niece. The gambler is now thoroughly convinced of the fact of telepathy and hypnotism, and, realizing that with his ability there is no such thing as a "square game" for him, has closed up the business. He is sitting alone trying to influence by telepathy the mind of one juror, who, he thinks, is susceptible to his thought. Under Judge Prentiss' direction he has published in the newspapers the fact that the prosecuting attorney was responsible for the killing of Scovel, the governor-elect of Kentucky.

"What is the game?" asks a dubious fellow-gambler. And Brookfield replies that if he can show the people of Kentucky the despicable character of the prosecuting attorney his bitter prosecution of the boy will have no effect on the jury. And when he is told that the jury is not allowed to read the newspapers replies that it is impossible for 100,000 people to think a thing and any twelve men in that community not be influenced by that thought.

The boy is acquitted. The prosecuting attorney is jeered out of court, comes rushing to Brookfield and places a revolver against his breast.

"You can't shoot that gun," says Brookfield calmly looking him in the eye. "You can't pull the trigger. You can't even hold that gun."

The man's hand opens, the revolver drops and the curtain comes down as he gasps: "I'd like to know how in the h—l you did that to me." The last act is given over to an ethical summing up of the other three.

### King Edward as a Farmer.

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